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Completion of work of Pathiramanal, Kerala

3156. SHRI K. MURALEEDHARAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Union Government have received any proposal from the Government of Kerala for the development of Pathiramanal;

(b) if so, whether the approval has since been accorded; and

(c) the funds have since been allocated for the work of tourist resort?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. On the request of Government of Kerala, the Central Department of Tourism have agreed to extend financial assistance for construction of an Island Resort at Pathiramanal during 1991–92. The complete project proposal alongwith detailed estimates is awaited from the State Government.

Broadcast of Regional Bulletin

3157. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to increase the number of regional bulletins broadcast from Delhi, in comparison to the increased number of Hindi and English news bulletins; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Extension of Air Service to Shillong

3159. SHRI PETER G. MARBANIANG: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to extend the Indian Airlines service to Shillong; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Setting up of Aluminium Plants in Eighth Plan

3160. KUMARI PUSHPA DEVI SINGH: Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to set up new Aluminium plants particularly mini–aluminium plants during Eighth Five Year Plan;

(b) if so, the States where these plants are proposed to be set up;

(c) whether any aluminium plant is proposed to be set up in Madhya Pradesh; and

(d) if so, the location of those plants and the capacity therefore?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINES (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) and (b). No, Sir. However, National Aluminium Company (in the